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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/574,437  
**DECOUPLING PROCESSES FROM HARDWARE WITH LOGICAL IDENTIFIERS**  
Applicants: Barbara A. Fox et al.  
Attorney Docket No: 102689-7

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

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2. PTO-1449, accompanied by one (1) reference cited therein; and
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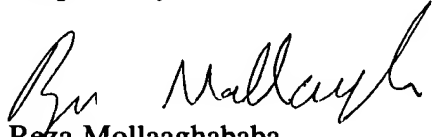
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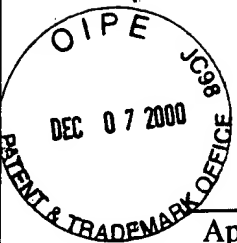
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the following additional documents. A PTO Form-1449 and a full copy of each of these documents accompany this statement.

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In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(e)(2), on information and belief, no individual associated with the filing or the prosecution of this application, as designated by §1.56(c), had any knowledge of the cited documents more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

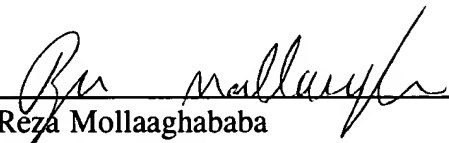
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